

Highlights of Executive Committee Meeting August 25, 2011

- The responsibility for maintaining the University's retiree mailing list has been shifted from Staff Benefits to Human Resources. We will continue to provide updates on address changes.
- A motion that only lifetime members of UMRA can apply to be an Associate Retiree was passed.
- There are a number of inaccuracies in the "Other Benefits: University of Manitoba Facilities and Services" section of our website. This section will be removed temporarily while it is being revised.
- Terry Voss, Executive Director of Human Resources, has invited us to suggest additional (non-financial) benefits for our Members. Any new benefits would have to be approved by the University Executive Group. After discussing a variety of possibilities, it was agreed that we would propose two new benefits for Retired Staff and Associate Retirees: free tuition for undergraduate courses for those age 55-64, and access to the Employee Assistance Plan for the first two years following retirement.